

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Dirk Schmidt, et al.
Serial No: 10/555,854
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For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR COOLING OR QUENCHING SLABS
AND SHEETS WITH WATER IN A COOLING BASIN
Examiner: Gregory A. Wilson
Art Unit: 3749
Conf. No.: 4616

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

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Applicant hereby requests a three-month extension of the original shortened statutory period set in the Office Action of January 21, 2011. The amount of \$1110 in payment of the government fee for a three-month extension of time is being paid by credit card.